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TOPIC Soviet Troop Trains

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EVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED

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DATE OF CONTENT DATE OBTAINED PREPARED 9 August 1955

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REFERENCES PAGES 2 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) REMARKS

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1. The following troop trains between 20 and 22 July 1955: 25X1

C/B = converted boxcar; F=flatcar; B=boxcar;

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Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load in Tons	From	To
20	10 C/B, 34 F	1200	Rossleben	Eberswalde
21	10 C/B, 50 F	1200	Artern	"
	8 C/B, 1 B, 49 F	1200	Rossleben	"
	2 C/B, 8 B, 50 F	1200	Wildpark	Altengrabow
22	7 C/B, 2 B, 37 F	1200	Artern	Eberswalde
	9 C/B, 1 B, 28 F	1000	Jueterbog/ Altes Lager	"
	12 C/B, 3 B, 28 F	1000	Jueterbog/ Altes Lager	Bernau
	2 C/B, 9 B, 27 F	1200	Potsdam	Altengrabow

2. a train of 9 converted boxcars and 25 flatcars went from Jueterbog to Eberswalde on 22 July. 25X1 25X1

1. Comment. The shipments had already been reported . It cannot be determined if the shipments were connected with the assumed signal command-post exercises, which were simultaneously conducted by the Fourth Gds Mezz Army, the Third Shock Army, and the Fifth Gds Army after about 7 to 9 July. If the movement was made in connection with the above mentioned exercises, it may be assumed that the units concerned conducted joint exercises during which Hq units of the Fourth Gds Mezz Army from the Cottbus-Lieberose area (they were transferred there on 6 to 9 July) advanced as far as the Lossa area. According to observations in Eberswalde, a shipment with Hq units of the army was unloaded in Eberswalde in the evening of 21 July. The shipment is quite definitely believed to be identical with one of the shipments mentioned in paragraph 1. 25X1 25X1

2. Comment. For information on the exchange of two brigades of the 34th Arty Div between Potsdam and Altengrabow 25X1 25X1

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According to available information, 4 shipments of the 30th Gds Gun Arty Brig, with a total of 33 x 152-mm gun howitzers, 2 x 76-mm field guns, and 2 shipments, with units of the u/i Gun Arty Brig, went from Potsdam to Altengrabow and vice versa, respectively.

3. [REDACTED] Comment. Units of the 63d AAA Div, which were transferred to Jueterbog on 5 July [REDACTED] presumably returned. [REDACTED] 25X1

[REDACTED] According to the number of railroad cars, [REDACTED] 25X1
[REDACTED] were probably identical.

4. [REDACTED] Comment: The units of the 696th How Arty Regt of the 6th Gds Recs Div, which transferred to Justerbog on 18 July, and which was observed unloading in Bernau with 12 x 182-mm field howitzers, returned to their installations. [REDACTED] 25X1

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